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Increased Need for the Life-Saving Scouts and Guards

Juvenile offences are so much on the increase in the Old Country that the King and Queen have expressed their grave concern at the problem. In seventeen of the great towns the increase had been so much as thirty per cent, while in the Metropolitan police district the increase in the case of boys under fourteen is placed at sixty per cent. Petty thieving is the principal offence. At a conference recently held on the subject at the Home Office, the chief causes of the increase were stated to be adventurous spirit encouraged by the war; darkness of the streets; weakening of parental control due to the absence of so many fathers on war service; evil effects of the cinema. "What is at the root of the trouble," says the Home Secretary is not so much wickedness as mis-directed energy. A sentiment with which we quite agree.

Now, in this country the darkness of streets is not yet with us, but there is no doubt that in a degree the other causes of youthful delinquency are the adventurous spirit, the absence of fathers at the front, and mothers who go to the cinema theatres while the children roam the streets. This constitutes a greater need for the directing into a right channel the exuberant energy of the young. And we know of nothing more calculated to absorb the high spirits of the young and produce good results than the Life-Saving Scouts and Guards of The Salvation Army. We, therefore, especially urge Young People's Workers, and all the Scouts and Guards themselves to do all in their power to enlist boys in the Scouts.

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IMPORTANT APPOINTMENTS

Colonel Jacobs will relinquish the Secretaryship of the Men's Social Work, and has been appointed by the Chief of the Staff as Resident Secretary for the Immigration Work. The Colonel will be responsible to the International Headquarters, and will operate in both Canada and Territories.

Lieut.-Colonel Hargrave has been appointed the Men's Social Secretary.

Major Jennings has been appointed the Men's Social Secretary. Major Moore to the command of the Subscribers' Department, which, however, will have a wider scope than formerly, taking in the oversight of Appeals, as well as the ordinary Subscribers' Work.



The Duke and Duchess of Devonshire

ON the occasion of the arrival in Canada of His Excellency the Governor-General and the Duchess of Devonshire, the Commissioner sent the following letter to His Excellency:—

"Will you kindly permit me, on behalf of The Salvation Army in the Canada East Territory, to offer to you our most hearty and loyal congratulations upon your appointment as the Governor-General of the Dominion of Canada. The Salvation Army has been fortunate enough to enjoy, for many years, the very kind, friendly, and sympathetic interest of your worthy predecessors, which has been deeply appreciated, and we trust we may continue this work in such a manner as shall merit the kindly recognition of Your Excellency. We shall ever pray that you may be divinely guided and strengthened for the great and important responsibilities which you have been called upon to undertake, and trust that

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ON Thursday evening, Nov. 16th, Calgary II. Corps was favoured with a visit from the Commissioner Sowton. He was supported by Lieut.-Colonel Turner and a number of Officers who had come to the city to attend the meeting conducted by the Chief of the Staff, which took place on the previous evening. The open-air service was well attended—the Commissioner and a large number of the Officers referred to being in the front.

A very encouraging audience gathered for the inside meeting, and gave the Commissioner and party a rousing welcome on their arrival at the Hall. The Territorial Secretary opened the proceedings with a song; the old favourite, "O Happy Day," being sung most heartily by the entire congregation. Captain Cow, of Fernie, invoked the blessing of God on the gathering, which was followed by a brisk testimony meeting, led by Lieut.-Colonel Hargrave. The singing of the "Excellency Male Quartet" was very much appreciated.

this vast Dominion shall continue to enjoy the full measure of prosperity which has been so signally marked during the last few years.

"With every good wish to Your Excellency, and to the Duchess, I am, yours sincerely,

"W. J. RICHARDS, Commissioner."

To the above letter the following kind acknowledgment was received:—

"Dear Sir,—I am desirous by the Governor-General to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 22nd inst. His Excellency desires me to thank you very much for your very kind congratulations on behalf of The Salvation Army, which he very much appreciates."

"His Excellency has heard a great deal about the excellent work done by The Salvation Army in Canada, and wishes it continued success. Yours faithfully,

"ARTHUR F. SLADEN, Private Secretary."

COMMISSIONER SOWTON

CONDUCTS MEETINGS AT CALGARY II. AND EDMONTON III.

The Commissioner's message was listened to most intently, and, as the will of God concerning His people was revealed through his words, the Holy Spirit's presence was keenly felt. Four dear sisters came forward to the Mercy Seat seeking a deeper and richer experience. The Officers and Soldiers of Calgary II. received a spiritual uplift from the visit of the Commissioner, which will help them to more effectively launch the Winter's Revival Campaign.

Sunday, Nov. 19th, the occasion of the Commissioner's visit, was looked forward to by the comrades of the Edmonton III. Corps with great anticipation. Although one of the youngest Corps in the Alberta Division, what is lacking in size was more than made up for by the superabundance of enthusiasm possessed by the faithful Soldiers.

It was certainly a memorable event in the Corps' history. The morning service was indeed a "milestone" in the spiritual experience of the majority who were present. The singing of the "Excellency Male Quartet" was very much appreciated.

Colonel Jacobs TO BE RESIDENT-IMMIGRATION SECRETARY

Whether the end of the war be near or distant, there is no doubt that Immigration and Emigration matters are at present occupying considerable attention in the Legislature of the world, and this is a matter to which The General has also given much thought of late. With the result, we are informed, that Colonel Jacobs has been relieved of the oversight of the Men's Social Work in the order that he might be able to devote his whole attention to the carrying out of the Immigration policy and work of The Army in the Dominion.

His position in future will, therefore, be that of Resident Secretary for the Immigration Work of The Salvation Army throughout the whole of Canada. He will, of course, work in close co-operation with the Territorial Commanders of Canada East and West, but will be responsible to International Headquarters, through Commissioner Lamb, the Head of The Army's Migration operations.

Colonel Jacobs possesses many qualifications for the successful carrying out of what promises to be a most important branch of Salvation Army activities. Before leaving Toronto the Chief of the Staff had some conferences with the Colonel concerning his work, and we hope, in an early issue, to publish the content of an interview with the Colonel himself, about his work and this new appointment—one of the most interesting of recent years in Salvation Army history.

PERSONALIA INTERNATIONAL

The General spent Sunday, Nov. 5th, at West Stanley, in the County of Durham. We have a fine Corp at this colliery centre, but it was the first visit of The General. There were very enthusiastic gatherings and thirty seekers.

Mrs. Booth, on the same day, conducted a series of special meetings in the Clydebank (Scotland) Town Hall. There were sixty-five seekers. Commissioner Higginson, of Great Britain, recently conducted Young People's Councils at Clapton. There were two hundred and sixty-two seekers and a hundred and fifteen volunteers, thus adding to the interest of the services.

A telegram from Marseilles announces the safe arrival there of Colonel and Mrs. Cunningham and Brigadier and Mrs. Vlas and their families, and their way to the Dutch East Indies.

The General has approved for issue, as a Presentation Plate with the Christmas number of the "War Cry," a striking painting representing a number of soldiers in a dugout just as a parcel from home has been opened. It had a glorious scene in which The Salvation Army figures, and is full of human interest as well as spiritual significance.

Colonel Wilson, who has charge of the Army's Work among the military, has recently been visiting the forces in France. At one place he took tea with a hundred Salvationists in khaki, and had a glorious scene in which The Salvation Army figures, and is full of human interest as well as spiritual significance.

THE TERRITORIAL CANADA EAST The Commissioner and Chief

Secretary left Toronto on Thursday night, Nov. 30th, for Halifax, where Young People's Councils will be held on Sunday, Dec. 3rd.

On Monday, the Commissioner will conduct a Divisional Inspection, starting next day on a tour of the St. John Division, concluding with a Young People's Day at St. John on the following Sunday. For the week-end, Dec. 16th-17th, the Commissioner, accompanied by the Chief Secretary, will conduct services at Brampton, Ontario, features of which will be the reopening of the renovated Citadel and the presentation of the Championship Shield to the Young People's Corps for their success in the Self-Denial Effort.

The Chief Secretary will preside at the Christmas Demonstration to be held at Lippincott Street Citadel on Friday, Dec. 15th.

Colonel Jacobs visited New York last week to further confer with Commissioner Lamb concerning his new appointment as Resident Immigration Secretary.

Mrs. Lieut.-Colonel Rees is now on a tour of inspection in the East. She will visit Montreal, Ottawa, Halifax, and St. John, inspecting the Women's Social Institutions at each place.

Mrs. Brigadier Miller conducted the service at the Mercer Reformatory last Sunday afternoon. We regret to say that last Sunday Brigadier Green was operated on for appendicitis. We understand that the operation was successful, and that, at the time of writing, he is resting comfortably; but the Brigadier has suffered greatly for some time in connection with this affliction. Prey for him and Mrs. Green.

We have received word from Brigadier Morehen that the Home League at Peterborough has increased its membership from 27 to 60, and in a month have raised \$75 for Christmas gifts for the boys at the front. On Nov. 16th they sent away 88 boxes.

Brigadier Adhy recently conducted an interesting wedding in Toronto. The bridegroom was Francis Robert Carpenter, a recent convert at Dovercourt. He is a returned soldier, and was at the Dardanelles and Ypres, where he was severely wounded. The bride was Songster Jessie Trotter.

Adjutant Osbourne, of Brantford, writes regularly to the Soldiers of the Corps who are on military service, and reads the replies that he receives in the Sunday afternoon meetings; thus adding to the interest of the services.

Adjutant Burton, of Hamilton I., has dispatched a Christmas parcel to each Soldier of the Corps who is in khaki.

Adjutant Adams, of the Men's Social Department, Territorial Headquarters, has been quite poorly of late, but is improving now.

Ensign Hodgson, of the Field Department, Territorial Headquarters, is shortly accompanying her sister, Miss Jones, to England.

Mrs. Captain Lloyd, of Midland, is in poor health, we regret to hear.

CANADA WEST We have particular reason to praise God for young energies to the Chief of the Staff and party.

While en route to Minneapolis the axle of the car on which they were travelling broke, resulting in a four-hour delay. The accident may easily have resulted far more seriously.

It was recently announced that the Territorial Secretary, Miss Estlin, had been appointed to the new addition to the Men's Social Institution at Winnipeg. (Continued on Page 14)

The Chief of the Staff in America Magnificent Meetings in Chicago and New York

700 OFFICERS IN COUNCIL IN NEW YORK

THE Chief of the Staff was received in New York with earnest enthusiasm and demonstrations of real affection by the Delegates in Council and Eastern Social and Field Officers in the vicinity of the Centre Divisions.

The single day here was devoted to Officers and Soldiers only. The three sessions of the Council were marked by profound heart-hunger for the messages the Chief was to bring. Addresses so fervent, so thoughtful, and so powerful fed all

SUNDAY AT BOSTON

The Chief of the Staff spent Sunday at Boston. The spacious Hall was packed three times, and many were turned away. Salvationists and public were very enthusiastic, and gave a grand reception. The General's special message, and his expressions of love and loyalty and confidence.

The day passed gloriously. The Chief was filled with the spirit of power, and wisdom, and effectively pleaded the claims of God. Forty souls came to the Cross. The inspirational force of the Chief's addresses were tremendous. Boston Salvationism, proverbially good, has

ists. The Scandinavian Provincial Band did excellent service in rendering music for the Chief's first Chicago meeting.

The very straightforward, earnest response by the Chief of the Staff to the Commissioner's words and the people's demonstration of welcome made everyone feel immediately that the Chief who stood before them was the same earnest, benign, whole-souled, spirit-filled Salvationist as the Commissioner Howard who stood before them some six years before. He had not changed one whit, except that he had attained a richer, deeper, and more mellow spirit than when we last saw him.



Reading from left to right, Front Row: Colonel Gauntlett (Territorial Secretary, Western America); Commissioner Lamb; the Chief of the Staff; Commissioner Estlin (Commander of the Western States); Colonel Peart (Chief Secretary, U.S.A.). Back Row: Mrs. Colonel Gauntlett, Adjutant Smith (Chief's Private Secretary), and Mrs. Commissioner Estlin.

the deep longings of souls, and left an indelible mark on the audiences. Hearts burned as he expounded the Scriptures, revealing the multifarious functions of Officership, Argument, appeal, and command, fell upon responsive hearts. We must surely rise to heights of Salvation achievement after to-day.

The frequent references to The General created applause both loud and long. The Commander's patrician robes forbore her presence, and united, fervent prayer was made for her. The Chief's affectionate reference to the Leader received fervent approbation by the Officers.

Colonel Peart, in introducing the Chief of the Staff, said all were believing for a big day of memorable meetings. Our highest hopes were fulfilled, for the Officers left at the close of the day grimly determined to measure up to the standard erected by the Chief.

At night the Council sent affectionate assurances of loyalty to The General. Commissioner Lamb's brief addresses were listened to with profit. The Salvation Army in the States has set its face with confidence toward victory in the coming Winter Campaign. Hallelujah!

been greatly strengthened. All were delighted beyond expression at the results.

LIEUT.-COL. JENKINS.

The Chief in Chicago

FOUR HUNDRED OFFICERS IN COUNCIL

Buildings Packed, Hundreds Turned Away—Many Souls Saved.

Lieut.-Colonel Nelson and his red-blooded Norsemen were the first to welcome our beloved Chief of Staff to the Western Territorial Centre, and the vigor, enthusiasm, and warlike of the demonstration with which they deluged their Leader, made the Chief of the Staff realize the high place he occupied in the hearts of Scandinavians in America, as well as those in the Homeland.

The magnificent new Scandinavian Temple was not able to contain all the people who thronged from all parts of the city.

Commissioner Estlin, introduced the Chief of the Staff in terms expressing truly and beautiful the sentiments of the assembled Salvation-

Preserved from Perils on Land and Sea

"It is a great source of pleasure and cause for gratitude to God that we are here with you good Chicago people, instead of lying in hospital beds away up north of St. Paul," said the Chief, in addressing the great congregation that packed out the stadium at night, so that hundreds were unable to gain admission.

Then it began to dawn on the people how marvelously God had preserved our Leader as those who accompanied him, not only from very imminent perils while crossing the Atlantic, but from harm in a serious accident that happened to their train betwixt Winnipeg and St. Paul. A defective wheel of one of the front coaches of the train had given way, causing the cars to leave the tracks, and resulting in a smash-up that delayed the Chief of the Staff several hours.

The feeling of deep disappointment because of the Chief's inability to fill his engagement in the Citadel on Sunday morning was changed to one of profound thankfulness for God's marvellous protection and care. It certainly did look good to see the Chief of the Staff before us. (Continued on Page 11)

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THE ADVANCE IS SOUNDING Forward to Victory Everyone in the Fighting Line for a Soul-Saving Campaign this Winter

UNIFORM IN EVIDENCE

Corps in Healthy Condition—Souls at Mercy Seat.

Things are still on the move at St. John's, and an all-round improvement is noticeable. On a recent Sunday Major and Mrs. Bell conducted the meetings, assisted by Ensign and Mrs. Best. All day the meetings were most profitable and helpful. In the afternoon meeting the Major dedicated the infant daughters of two of our comrades to God and the Army.

In the evening service six recruits were enrolled as Soldiers, and in the prayer meeting four souls knelt at the Cross.

On the Monday night the Major led the united meeting at No. 1, and on Tuesday night he also presided at a Musical Festival in aid of our Band, when the sum of fifty-four dollars was realized. The numbers on the open-airs and on the platform are interesting, and the Band is also doing well, and an order is now at Headquarters for tunics for the Band. Since Adjutant Green returned from Toronto, the Band new uniform is much in evidence.

We had a good day on Sunday, Nov. 19th. The comrades fought well again. At eight Mrs. Adjutant Miller took the lesson. Adjutant and Mrs. Miller have recently come from Bermuda and are on further health. A splendid crowd filled the Citadel, and Mrs. Miller gave an earnest and stirring address.

MANY SPECIALS

Each Impart Blessings to Comrades

We have been favoured at Truro on Nov. 23rd with a visit from Dr. H. Morris. After a routing meeting we marched to the Hall, where a nice crowd gathered and listened with great interest to the address that was given, which was inspiring and helpful. The Brigadier's music and singing was a great treat.

We have had other visitors of recent date. Lieutenant Howe, of Westville, conducted the week-end meetings for Nov. 11th-12th, during the absence of our Officers.

Major Crichton (the Divisional Commander) was with us for the week ending Nov. 18th-19th. The address was given by all. Three souls came to God.

Our Officers have just returned from their furlough. During their absence the meetings were in charge of Sergeant-Major Chapman, assisted by the other Locals and comrades. Now we are believing in a real good winter of soul-saving.

TWELVE SURRENDER

On Nov. 7th at Paris Captain and Mrs. Howe were in charge of the meetings. A profitable time was experienced in the morning, and five sought the blessing of holiness. At the afternoon meeting the Brigadier conducted the service, and an inspiring

MEETINGS IN THEATRE

During Renovation of the Citadel

Within the sound of hammer and trowels on the week-day and amidst the ruins on Sunday, so is our small Hall situated these days at London Lane, and (says A. G. A.) within this little Hall came very near to an end Saturday night and again on Sunday morning in the Holiness meeting. Some one suggested that the little Hall was very much like the old-time Halls of long ago, and the old-time blessing fell. Praise God!

The afternoon meeting in the Princess Theatre was conducted by Adjutant McEneaney. The evening service was in charge of Adjutant A. Layman, and was another time of great blessing. We sang "O great Salvation" was the subject of the evening. Two precious souls sought God.

BEAUTIFUL SPIRIT

Six Souls—Visitors Take Part

On Sunday, Nov. 12th, at Brantford, the meetings all day were especially good; a beautiful spirit was manifested in all souls who came. There was certainly very near and blessed us. Lieutenant Alice Uden, who is home on a furlough from Brockville, took part in the meetings. She is also Brother Parsons of St. Thomas.

In the afternoon the Lieutenant led the testimony meeting, which was a real, old-fashioned one; and was greatly enjoyed by all. In the evening service Brother Parsons gave a very stirring testimony, and Adjutant Osbourne spoke on the subject of holiness that outside the Gate. At the close we rejoiced in six souls at the Mercy Seat.

WELCOMED HOME

Dedication—Enrolment—Six Souls

On Sunday, Nov. 19th, we welcomed home to Moncton Captain and Mrs. Ham, our Corps Officers, and Adjutant Mrs. Ham, who have come to stay for some time in our midst. In the afternoon we had a dedication service, and at night an enrolment. Adjutant Ham took both services. A good spirit was manifested, and at the close of the evening service six precious souls sought the blessing to the Penitent Friend and to God.

SERIES OF GOOD MEETINGS

God is pouring out His Holy Spirit upon His work in Saskatoon. The meetings all day long have been felt in the Salvation of sinners. On Thursday night one man knelt at the Cross and found peace. The meetings all day long were good. Sunday afternoon Bandman Mareroft led the testimony. At night Ensign and Mrs. Jones conducted the service, and an inspiring

A SUCCESSFUL STAY

Many Souls Surrender to the Lord

Estevan Corps experienced an eventful month leading up to the Anniversary Congress held in Winnipeg. First to be recorded is the farewell of Cadet Lind, who left us for the opening of the Training College, leaving a host of comrades and friends whose prayers follow her, and whose expectations are high for career of blessing and usefulness in the Field.

Already the spiritual atmosphere was warm, and, one by one, souls were being added to the Kingdom. Some very satisfactory accessions to the fighting forces were among the men. Plans were being made for the revival, all felt it coming, and surely the Spirit of God was in the movement, honouring the faith and earnest work of our Officers. Captain Johnston and Faith Mareroft were the subject of the evening. Two precious souls sought God.

Sunday, Oct. 29th, proved to be a crowning day, in blessing and salvation—no less than nineteen kneeling at the Mercy Seat at the different meetings, among whom were young men and women definitely and thoughtfully giving themselves to Jesus for a life of service. The following Sunday six more dedicated to the service. The presence of the enemy found a welcome among the conquering Soldiers of the Cross. And, in the meantime, orders to the Officers. They go to the Congress; we have them no more; but God wills it so. Like the whole of our Soldiers that they are, they obey orders, and we say, "God bless them, and congratulate the people to whom they go, with our own hearts and Godly zeal." A. R. rated talents and Godly zeal.

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GOOD ADDRESSES

We are having some glorious nights at North Bay (says C. H. Hemm). Adjutant Poole spoke briefly in the Holiness meeting, taking for his lesson "Holiness and Contentment is great gain." His address was of much blessing and help to all present. A fine number turned out for the opening in the afternoon, and also the Bible Class.

Then at night again we had a real good meeting. Mrs. Adjutant Poole spoke on the subject of holiness, and was present, and Mrs. Adjutant Poole's talk was of great profit and blessing to all present.

LIEUT.-COL. & MRS. OTWAY

Conducted Meeting on Their Way Home.

We are still on the firing line at North Sydney and making some splendid captures. The meetings are well attended and finances good. Last Wednesday night we had Lieut.-Colonel and Mrs. Otway with us, on their way to Newfoundland, and they were of great profit and blessing to all present.

THE SOCIAL STAY

AT WINNIPEG

Four Seek Christ at the Mercy Seat. The special campaign at present being carried on by the Officers and Soldiers of the St. James' Corps (Winnipeg V.) in the King's Hotel, received an impetus by the visit of Staff-Captain and Mrs. Mac on Sunday, Nov. 19th. The visit was supported by a number of the local Social Stay, among them being Captain Nancarrow, Ensign, Sergeant-Major Sprunt, and Brother Taylor.

The presence of each of these comrades contributed greatly to the success of the meetings held on the afternoon and night of the day. There was not a dull moment during the "bright and breezy" Free-and-Easy conducted by the Mrs. Mac, and the Social Stay, among them being Captain Nancarrow read the lesson.

Good crowds were in attendance at both services, especially at the one held at night. The presence of each of these comrades contributed greatly to the success of the meetings held on the afternoon and night of the day. There was not a dull moment during the "bright and breezy" Free-and-Easy conducted by the Mrs. Mac, and the Social Stay, among them being Captain Nancarrow read the lesson.

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OFFICERS UNITE

And Speak on Special Subject

On Tuesday, Nov. 21st, at Pictou (N.S.), we had a visit from the Officers of Stellerion and Westville. Some of these Officers have been stationed here, to they were given a hearty welcome. The meeting was enjoyed by all present. The visitors spoke on the subject of holiness, and the result was that one backslider was reclaimed. We are looking forward to seeing such saved this winter.

OFFICERS HAVE GOOD STAY

Eleven Souls Seek God's Pardon

We are glad to report splendid progress at Woodstock, N.B. (says C. H. S.). During the last week of the year, about a dozen Christians are seeking a new life. Christ as their Saviour, and almost all of them have taken their own names.

Captain and Mrs. Sprunt were welcomed on Nov. 11th, and have things well in hand for a good winter's work. Open-air attendances are improving. Also the congregations at the Hall.

OFFICER WELCOMED

On Saturday, Nov. 12th, we welcomed Captain McEneaney to our meetings on Sunday. He was started a drive on the way to the meetings. He was of great profit and blessing to all present.

TRAIN, COLLEGE, PRINCIPAL

Conducts Day's Inspiring Meetings

Brigadier and Mrs. Bell conducted the meetings at Rhodes Avenue on Sunday, Nov. 10th. The meetings were very inspiring, and many souls were saved.

In the afternoon the Cadets conducted a cottage meeting. The presence of the Brigadier and Mrs. Bell was most inspiring, and many souls were saved.

The Cadets rendered good assistance during the day with their singing, in which they pleaded with and entreated sinners to come to Christ.

The Brigadier's message on the necessity of being born again brought conviction to many hearts. Two responded to the call. One, a young woman who had just come for some time, to use her own words, but who was convicted by God's Spirit.

We pinned the Army ribbon on our converts. After which they testified to the work of grace which had been done in their hearts.

MANY SEEK GOD

Fifty Years a Follower of Christ

We praise God for many recent manifestations of the workings of His Spirit at St. John's. On Sunday, Nov. 11th, we had blessed times, with Brigadier Bettbridge and Captain Simco.

Last Sunday (Nov. 18th) two men came forward in our Holiness meeting for re-consecration. At night we held a memorial service for our late Brother Aspin. The presence of each of these comrades contributed greatly to the success of the meetings held on the afternoon and night of the day. There was not a dull moment during the "bright and breezy" Free-and-Easy conducted by the Mrs. Mac, and the Social Stay, among them being Captain Nancarrow read the lesson.

Our prayer meeting was a time of blessing. Two of the relatives of the deceased knelt at the Cross and two others who once were fighters. Then a dear brother, for whom prayer has long been offered, and who lost a dear one some little time ago, came to the front and surrendered himself to God and his dear wife. One of our Soldiers knelt at his side and gave himself afresh to God.

Our comrades were all much encouraged, and we are determined to press the fight more than ever.

OPEN-AIR WORK

Wins Man for God—Officers Say Farewell

On Sunday, Nov. 19th, at Elmwood (Winnipeg V.) Captain and Mrs. Jones conducted their farewell meetings. Captain Jones, who has been speaking in this Corps since its organization a year ago, must now on the verge of seeing a number of precious souls not only converted to God, but also into true Blood-and-Fire Soldiers.

Their farewell meetings were sweet and blessed of God, and at the evening service the first Locals were commissioned, and another Soldier added to the Roll.

A young man, who lies very sick, and has been visited by the Officers, has, through the instrumentality of the open-air attendances, been held outside his home, when his heart to God.

Striking Government Proposal

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"I should like to point out further," continued The General, "that the responsibility of the matter taken by us on behalf of the widow and her family are more comprehensive than anything demanded by State regulations, or attempted by any other organization. Many societies do excellent work for men, women, and children; but of them all it is only truth to say that our own Immigration Department holds the field for all-round Imperial work."

Unequal Distribution

As is well known, The General views with deep concern the dangers arising from the unequal distribution of the sexes in the United Kingdom and in the self-governing Dominions, and he believes that the Women's Empire Migration Scheme will have a corrective tendency in this connection, however momentary at the outset its effect may be.

"Some people regard this as an abstract question of purely academic interest," he said, "but it is in fact a very important one. Some of our social evils at home may be traced directly to causes proceeding from our surplus population, and I have no hesitation in predicting that the woman question in the Old Country will become more and more acute as the time comes when the women will become wage-earners for the first time at the beginning of the present enormous demand for female labour will not only be met, but will be met in a way which will be a source of pride and independence; and what is more, when peace comes there will be tens of thousands more women in the labour market than there were prior to the outbreak. Will there be work for all of them? If not, what will we do with them? Our Scheme, I may say, is not confined to widows, but provides for the migration of suitable single women also."

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which will be looked back upon as an occasion when spiritual progress was made by them. The Commissioner's message was a most encouraging one, and revealed the will of God concerning His people.

One young woman fully surrendered to Christ, and was accepted into the ranks of the Salvation Army. The afternoon and night meetings were held in the Rose Theatre. The audience which gathered in the afternoon was most appreciative. The Whitelaw, Medical Officer of Health for the city, presided.

Major Hay (the Divisional Commander) presided at the opening exercises. The Chairman stated that he first came in contact with The Salvation Army thirty-five years ago. He said that he had been a member of the organization since its foundation, and was confident the organization was raised up by God.

Previous to the Commissioner's address, Captain Mundy and Dray and Lieutenant Mundy rendered a vocal trio.

Commissioner Sowton's lecture was of great interest, and showed the progress of The Army's work in other lands.

Scheme a gentleman who has held eminent Government positions in the Dominion, came to the fore.

"I cordially emphasize the importance of it, apart altogether from the great and unhappy preponderance of women over men in this country—which carries its own penalty. My whole life abroad is a witness to the evil of emigrating so many of our men without giving them the opportunity of unions with good and wholesome women. The results are well known."

"During my visit to Canada in 1914," continued The General, "I had many evidences, especially out West, of the disabilities under which the country labours owing to the dearth of women. The great need of the Dominions is homes—thousands of homes! Christian homes—and these can only be supplied by the women who are out there in sufficient numbers to take their proper share in fashioning the Empire's destiny. Again I repeat, our scheme would have very valuable results in this direction."

With regard to the financial aspect of the Scheme, The General intimated that the response to the appeal had been most encouraging. A generous grant of \$250,000 had been made from the National Relief Fund, and the sum to be raised by the total amount to some \$300,000. More money, however, is required to give effect in full measure to the purposes of the Scheme, and he then widely appeared. It is estimated that the \$100,000 asked for will provide for the transportation of about 5,000 women to the Dominion. The Public Trustee has consented to act as Treasurer of the Scheme.

Help Wanted from All

The General is full of hope that he will get a great response from all for this effort. Indeed he says, looking at the long lists of appeals constantly in the eyes of the country, that the progress of civilization in Australia has been hindered for lack of adequate female population. Writing to me on the merits of our

The Overseas Dominions woman problem is quite different from ours. It is an undoubted fact that the progress of civilization in Australia has been hindered for lack of adequate female population. Writing to me on the merits of our

COMMISSIONER SOWTON

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which will be looked back upon as an occasion when spiritual progress was made by them. The Commissioner's message was a most encouraging one, and revealed the will of God concerning His people.

One young woman fully surrendered to Christ, and was accepted into the ranks of the Salvation Army. The afternoon and night meetings were held in the Rose Theatre. The audience which gathered in the afternoon was most appreciative. The Whitelaw, Medical Officer of Health for the city, presided.

Major Hay (the Divisional Commander) presided at the opening exercises. The Chairman stated that he first came in contact with The Salvation Army thirty-five years ago. He said that he had been a member of the organization since its foundation, and was confident the organization was raised up by God.

hale and hearty, filled with vigour, and running over with faith and optimism for The Salvation War. Commissioner Sowton, telling of the accident, said that the train was going about forty miles an hour when the break occurred, and it seemed little short of a miracle that the passengers were not seriously hurt or killed.

The General's Name Greeted With

When the Chief of the Staff conveyed the loving greetings of The General with the assurance of an early visit to Chicago, a prolonged demonstration followed, and the Chief Secretary, the Territorial Secretary, the Western Provincial and Chief Divisional Officers, and over two hundred Staff, Field, and Social Officers followed every utterance, with faith and prayer that God would faithfully and speedily bring down the strength of sinners. Commissioner Estill drew in the net. There were no breakers for the day. MAJOR AGNEW.

Scots and Guards Greet the Chief

on Monday Night. When the meetings of the day, during which the Chief of the Staff, and Council with the Officers, were held in blessing to those who were privileged to attend. Monday night's meeting was certainly a crowning time. Every seat in the Citadel was occupied.

The appearance of the Chief of the Staff, supported by Commissioner Lamb and our own Commissioner Estill, was a signal for a tremendous outburst of applause. Some very fitting words by Commissioner Estill set going the programme of the evening. The Premier Troop of the Life-Saving Guards gave a splendid demonstration of marching and signalling, as well as a most perfect drill with drums.

The Cicero Troop of the Life-Saving Guards gave a brief exhibition of marching and sang a verse of welcome to the Chief, expressing hope of another meeting in "The Grand March Past." Then came the descriptive drill of the Austin Troop of the Life-Saving Guards.

The Chief offered most kindly congratulations to the young folks and those who had their training in the Life-Saving Guards. He spoke of the present condition of The Salvation Army, the Chief assured us that his heart was beating true, and what was more accepted with a glad heart—that the new General is a very worthy successor of his noble Father.

Field Secretary

CONDUCTS A SUCCESSFUL CAMPAIGN IN NOVA SCOTIA

[By Wire]

Brigadier Morris, the Field Secretary, has just concluded a very successful three-days' campaign in the County of Nova Scotia. The Brigadier spoke on "Salvation Soldiers in Khaki."—Ensign Becroft.

Colonel Potter presided at the meeting at New Glasgow on Sunday afternoon. He was a very enthusiastic speaker. The Brigadier spoke on "Salvation Soldiers in Khaki."—Ensign Becroft.

Night-Fighting on the Western Front

A GRIM GLIMPSE OF HORRORS OF MODERN WARFARE

THE Battle of Europe," as called in America, is in many respects technically unique, and not least in the greatest of wars is that it never ceases, but is "everywhere continuous." The phrase is Sir Douglas Haig's.

Our Commander-in-Chief lays special stress upon trench repairs after dark, as well as wire-building and wire-cutting, listening posts, and patrol work, mining, and counter-mining. Trench raids, too, or cutting-out parties, are notable operations of the night, so are local bombardments with trench mortars and bombs. These and other minor operations are conducted in the small hours, with intelligent anticipation of a triumphant morning.

So that far from ending at dusk, the savage, scientific clash takes on a new and sinister purpose. The night is soon lit with shrapnel and gas shells, with searchlights, with flame projectors, with exploding mines, magnesium rockets, and many-coloured star shells of blue and blinding radiance.

It was German fears of cold steel in the dark which led to this turning of night into day and never-ending war. And, as usual, their chemists and professors came to their aid with diabolical device. A peculiar light soon served out—one that is a foreboding to a great fight. A cotton fuse ignited the chemical mixture, at the same time releasing a small parachute. Then slowly, in snaky, ribbons of intense, ever flame, the light dropped earthward with eerie power to search out every loving thing within a radius of three hundred yards.

All night long these rockets soar from "the ditch of hellish eyes," and woe to the British raiders caught in a sudden glare that shows up the very blades of grass. The blackness is streaked and criss-crossed with blazing aerial lanes and coloured curtains of flame, every foot of whose orbit is covered by machine-gun and rifle fire. Some of these rockets glow for forty seconds, and in that time the keen German anti-aircraft will establish a range.

More words are feeble to convey an idea of these scenes. It is certain they cannot be exaggerated, for in the flame-blackness this war of nations takes on new, terrors, unknown and unfit in the clear light of day. It is these nameless perils which are the highest test of morale; they call for new kinds of courage.

The shadows of No Man's Land are full of menace at this hour. Faint, mysterious noises alarm the crawling scout more than the louping clagour of guns; shell-blashed shrubs more menacing arms in the gloom, where dead men lie in great holes and craters. The place is unimaginably weird.

Blinding light and wall-like darkness alternate through the night of war. The Allies now fire incendiary bombs which give an intense glow. When they explode, a column of flame leaps up 150 feet and illumines the country like a colossal Bengal light. Then utter blackness supervenes, to be broken afresh by burning shells, as the whole line lights up, crackling and crashing with murderous fireworks, spitting flashes and burning rays, bright orange-red, exploding bombs, blue and violet streaks from the "heavies," green and white stars that light up the night and make all dark with excruciating brightness.

Then the curtain of night falls

again. The inquisitive captain may light up his own dark corner. The dark is invaded by a wide and fiery curve that bursts in livid showers over the German lines. Rents in the sandbags are revealed together with all the litter of the long and desperate fray.

Meanwhile the never-resting guns show forked lightning of steadfast play, and star shells describe great sweeping arcs that reach the zenith and hang there a while like new planets of fabulous glow. Then they fall, and fall like bells suspended on the jets of dwindling fountains. On a "busy" night there may be only two or three brief intervals in this tumult of night fires and of artillery, great and small.

All local damage is repaired under cover of the dark. The jovial corporal bids Private Smith and his mates make ready for the night's work. They are to go over the top at 2.30, with searching light, and task this for the faint-hearted. It is a matter of crawling and bounding

this inferno of shadow and shine creep the working parties. At the first sound or sight of a rocket swarm, down drop all these workers. It may be in deep mud, it may be on buried wire that wears flesh and clothes with savage indifference.

Machine guns spit suspicion towards the prostrate men, so that bullets play among the wire strands, striking showers of sparks with sharp metallic ping and clang. Presently the workers straighten up and carry on. At last—very cautiously and silently—they crawl back into their own ditch, where anxious mates await them with every sense alert.

It says much for the lure of war that volunteers are always being coming for these ventures in the dark. The men are carefully selected—strong, young athletes of quenchless daring and high spirits. Think of their blind leap into the blackness of the German trench, and the crowded hour of frightful combat which ensues! Canadians and Australians show wonderful bushcraft on these occasions. "The Highlanders are adroit, much-fearless raiders. And the touch of combat was seen up on a night when, out of the reek of crashing bomb smoke and

PROMOTED TO GLORY

Sister Mrs. Logeman, Ottawa

Once again death has visited our Corps and taken away one of our choicest spirits. A very quiet and retiring nature had our Sister, Mrs. Logeman, unable to get on account of sickness, yet those who visited her felt on coming into her presence that she knew her God. From her arrival in this country from Holland, her life has been lived almost entirely in her own home with her six little children, and by her sweet, patient labors, she was so marked about her even in times of the greatest suffering, she constantly manifested the Spirit of Christ.

A very impressive memorial service was held on Nov. 19th, and the power of God was made manifest in the conversion of one young woman. "Prayers are needed on behalf of the husband and children that are left."—P. L.

Brother Martin, New Westminster

Brother Martin, father of Young People's Sergeant-Major Martin, has passed to his reward. He was night watchman at Gilley's coal merchants' wharf, and, after calling the men at 6.30 in the morning, was leaving the office for home, but death came ere he crossed the doorstep.

The funeral service was conducted by Adjutant Melke, assisted by Rev. Mr. Lennie and Lieutenant The Assistant. The Adjutant spoke the words, "Behold I come quickly," and Sister Walker sang "Above the Waves of Eternity Strife."

On Sunday, Nov. 12th, a memorial service was held at the City Hall. Band played "Ere the Sun Goes Down," and the Commanding Officer gave an address. Our deepest sympathy is with the bereaved who feel their loss keenly.—M. M.

DAY OF BLESSING

When Young People Seel God

Our meetings last week-end at Lisgar Street (see E. A.) were conducted by Captain and Mrs. Leach, and these meetings were the best we have had for some time. On Sunday-morning a good crowd gathered for the Holiness meeting, and the attendance in the afternoon and evening was splendid. God's Spirit was manifested all day in a wonderful manner, and the prayer meeting on Sunday night was a grand fight for souls.

The Benediction was being pronounced when one sister, who had never been in The Army before, sought Christ. Then one of our oldest Life-Saving Guards, and a valiant soldier, was quickly followed by another Guard; three Life-Saving Scouts, one young girl, and the son of our sister who first sought Christ.

Every one was loath to close the meeting, and a happy wind-up followed, in which the sisters all testified. The Captain is very interested in these Young People, and has arranged a special meeting for all under twenty on Wednesday night. We have welcomed into our midst Brother and Sister Turner from the Temple. Our motto is "Onward."

CORRECTION

In a report last week of the inauguration of the Home League at Chester, it was stated that Sister Mrs. Greenwood had been appointed Treasurer. It should have read Sister Mrs. Greenwood.

NEWS NOTES and COMMENTS

BIG BROTHER MOVEMENT

It is a matter of common knowledge that there has been for many years on this continent an organization at work under the above heading, also a similar society in the interests of the "Little Sister."

A branch has just been organized in Winnipeg, and The Salvation Army is working in full co-operation with other bodies for the same end as the movement. When the organizing committee was appointed, Staff-Captain Peacock (Young People's Secretary) was chosen to represent The Army; but, as the work is of a reformative, rather than a preventative, nature, the Staff-Captain retired from the committee, and his place was taken by Staff-Captain Sims (Men's Social Secretary). The work is now well under way, and already in Winnipeg has proved itself a powerful factor in helping to correct evil in many of the youths of the Western Metropolis.

JUVENILE CRIME

THE need for such movements as that mentioned in the above paragraph is evident when we read such statements as the following in the daily papers. This is from the Toronto "Globe":

"Juvenile crime in Toronto is becoming more prevalent than daily. Inspector Allison, of No. 4 Police District, declared in the Police Court yesterday morning, when two truants were summoned to explain why their school attendance records were so bad. Inspector Allison said that the preponderance of criminal cases in his district, today, is by youths under sixteen years of age."

ANOTHER WAR EVIL

WE also note that question of juvenile depravity is causing alarm in Great Britain, and the King and Queen have expressed grave concern over this state of affairs. Much of this increase in crime is attributed directly to the war. For instance, there is the darkness of the streets and the weakening of parental discipline, due in thousands of cases to the fathers being away at the front.

But the most reprehensible of all reasons for the increase in lawless offences—which are not confined by any means to boys—are the allurements to evil which best young people on every hand are meeting—the moving-picture theatre—has become the instrument of wholesale demoralisation.

HELPFUL AGENCIES

HAPPILY there are powerful agencies at work to combat these dangers, and the Salvation Army, among others, may claim credit for carrying out a constructive policy in this direction.

The Young People's Department is organized to provide effective counter-influences to the picture palace, the cheap novel and the trinket stall, and two of the most attractive branches of its operations are the Life-Saving Scouts Organization for boys and the Life-Saving Guards Organization for girls. In these enterprises movements the youthful propensities to adventure, competition, personal display, and physical prowess are turned to wholesome ends.

PROHIBITION VICTORY

THE tremendous victory won by Prohibitionists in the United States is causing all those who seek humanity's highest welfare to rejoice. In view of the fact that



Brother J. Gains
Of Montreal, I, who collected \$102 for Harvest Festival.

carried, which means that ten thousand saloons will go out of business.

The greatest of these victories was that achieved in Michigan, in which the Prohibition majority was about 78,000 and the number of saloons to be closed is 3,208 besides 29 breweries. The Michigan victory is also remarkable as being won in a State in which there are 25 cities of over 10,000 population.

It is evident that Prohibition sentiment is sweeping all before it—the States, and the dream of a dry America before 1920 may come true after all. We trust that it will.

A NEW FLAG

AT the Pan-American Conference last summer an international trade treaty was presented, to the delegates. The design of this flag consists of a white background like that of the Red Cross flag, but with a single red star in the centre instead of a single red cross.

It is expected that any peaceful merchantman may hoist this ensign, and be under the joint protection of all civilized countries. The Red Cross flag is one of the few things that is recognized and respected by all nations. Why not add one more neutral ensign?

A GENERAL'S TRIBUTE

SPEAKING at the opening of a new Hostel for troops in London (Eng.), General Sir Francis Lloyd said:

"I know of no Organization in the whole world that has been more successful in this war than The Salvation Army. This Hostel enterprise is an answer to a half-whispered rumor that for a long ago, there should have more beds in London for soldiers coming home on leave. At once The Salvation Army put the requisite into execution, and you have now put beds at our disposal exactly in the right spot."

NOT AFRAID

THE following touching story was related by Mrs. General Booth recently in London (Eng.): "Among the colonial troops," she said, "we have the privilege of having Salvation Army Officers as military Chaplains, and one of these is working amongst the Australian troops about 100 miles from the teaching duties which

fall to his lot. It was arranged for him to strip the bodies of the dead. He spoke of a letter he found in the pockets of one of the dead soldiers on the field. This closed with the words:—

"Not only am I soldier of the King, but a Soldier in the glorious Salvation Army. I am here to fight and glad to do my bit, and death has no terrors to me. It is like passing into a more abundant life. My heart is clean."

A MISSIONARY HERO

MISSIONARY biography is often of fascinating interest (says a writer in the Toronto "Globe"), and one of the most striking volumes of the kind has been issued within the last few months, called "Mary Slessor of Calabar," who was a missionary in that deadly place from 1876 to 1915.

She was a poor factory girl in Scotland, whose father was a drunkard, and yet, with much to hinder her at home, she did not step back until, prompted by the death of David Livingstone, she offered for Africa, and found in Calabar one of the most difficult fields.

She was known as the "Great White Mother," and her work was one of remarkable variety, including that of pioneer, doctor, builder, nurse, teacher, and even magistrate. The British Government gave her authority in this last connection, and one of her greatest bestowments was special recognition. Her story is most impressive, and will doubtless be read widely, and prove of help in furthering the missionary cause.

A CHIVALROUS ACT

BRITISH soldiers are ever ready to recognize and pay tribute to gallantry in a foe. This has been demonstrated recently by the sending of a wreath and two letters from the Royal British Flying Corps to the parents of Captain Boelke, the recently of the front in France, killed recently at the front in France.

The Overseas News Agency, thus describes the incident: "British airmen dropped a package behind our lines with two letters. One of the letters bore the inscription: 'To the memory of Captain Boelke, our brave and chivalrous adversary.'"

"The other letter runs: 'To the officers of the German Flying Corps on this front.' We hope that you will find this wreath, and are sorry that it comes too late. We have been waiting for us sending it earlier. We mourn with Captain Boelke's parents and friends. We all recognize his bravery."

Such objects as stones or nails in the bark of a log could make serious trouble, as encountered by the saw, for it runs at such high speed that if suddenly checked, it would break into countless flying fragments. The results would be like an explosion of shrapnel in the sawmill. For that reason, the logs are sent along a narrow wooden trough and given a constant cleaning before going to the mill, the stream of water being shot against the surface from every direction.

LEAGUE OF NEUTRALS

IT is announced in the press that Mr. Roosevelt has accepted, temporarily, the honorary presidency of the League of Neutral Nations. The organization was formed soon after the German invasion of Belgium for the purpose of bringing together members of influential public opinion in favour of the rights of smaller countries against "military oppression by the great powers." Originating in Switzerland, the League now claims to have branches in Argentina, Chile, Denmark, Spain, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Norway, Sweden, and the United States. Portugal and Roumania into those countries entered the war, it was said.

Sister L. Grant
A recent convert of Quebec, who raised \$37.40 for Harvest Festival.



A Sentinel in a Tree, Photographed in the Glare of a Bursting Shell

between the soaring flares and sliding searchlight beams that feed the way so unquenchably over the cratered confusion of the field.

When great rays are terrible things—long, tapering fingers of luminous mist swinging through dense blackness. Woe to the wanderer who is broken afresh by burning flames, as the whole line lights up, crackling and crashing with murderous fireworks, spitting flashes and burning rays, bright orange-red, exploding bombs, blue and violet streaks from the "heavies," green and white stars that light up the night and make all dark with excruciating brightness.

Then the curtain of night falls

strangling wrestlers, a German voice spoke: "Mercy, ladies, mercy! I'm fra Glesca mesch!" was a barber in Sauchellach Street!"

One night five determined raids were carried out by troops of the Cuinchy, Givency, Manquassiat, and Fauquassiat. Some of these were preceded by lavish artillery fire and a hail of trench mortar bombs that fairly rocked the earth. Snipe fire, machine guns, and marked batteries all called these, as Sir Douglas Haig tells us, are practically never silent. "Below ground," he goes on to say, "is continual mining and the night lights are brightly visible to sudden, unaccountable bombardments of terrific fury. Into

earchlights. "The anti-aircraft guns were of great blessing to us all. We are manned and loaded; and the Ger- are in for victory.

ARMY SONGS

JESUS FREED ME

Tune.—I have pleasure, 171.
What are now those burning long-
ings

Oh, so strong within my breast—
Longings for the smile of Jesus,
Longings to be set at rest?
When I saw my sin and sorrow,
Fears of bitter anguish fall;
For I know I once loved Jesus
More than all; yes, more than all!

Where are now those chains that
bound me
Chains of sin, and self, and pride?
Hallelujah! Jesus broke them
When I sought His risen side.
Now a sweeter, nobler bondage
Doth my raptured soul enthrall;
For there's pleasure in His service,
More than all, yes, more than all.

LOOKING UP

Tune.—Harian, 203.
My faith looks up to Thee,
Thou Lamb of Calvary, Saviour
Divine;
Now, hear me while I pray;
Take all my guilt away;
Oh, let me from this day be wholly
Thine!

When ends life's passing dream,
When death's cold, sullen stream
Shall o'er me roll;
Blest Saviour, then in love,
Fear and distrust remove,
Oh, bear me safe above, a ransomed
soul!

COME, LET US SING

Tunes.—Christ for me, 124; Behold,
behold the Lamb, 122.
Come, let us unite to sing,
God is love!
Let Heaven and earth their praises
bring,
God is love!
Let every soul from sin awake,
Each in his heart sweet music make,
And sing with us, for Jesus' sake—
God is love!

What though our heart and flesh
should fail,
Through Christ we shall o'er death
prevail,
Through Jordan's swell we will not
fear,
Our Jesus will be with us there;
Our heads above the waves He'll
bear,
God is love!

I LOVE THY NAME

Tunes.—Hallelujah to the 34, G;
Jerusalem, 308a, F; Mary, 48,
7b; Song Book, 326.
Jesus, I love Thy charming name,
'Tis music to my ear;
Fain would I sound it out so loud
That earth and Heaven should
hear.

Yes, Thou art precious to my soul,
My Transport and my Trust;
Jewels to Thee are gaudy toys,
And gold is sordid dust.

Thy grace still dwells within my
heart,
And sheds its fragrance there;
The noblest balm of all its wounds,
The cordial of its care.

LIFE FOR A LOOK

Tunes.—Ready to die, 197; Are you
washed? 207.
There is life for a look at the Crucified
One;
There is life at this moment for
thee;
Then look, sinners—look unto Him
and be saved—
Unto Him who was nailed to the
tree.

It is not thy tears of repentance or
prayers,
But the Blood that atones for the
soul;

On Him, then, who shed it thou
mayest at once
Thy weight of iniquities roll.

WHO'LL BE THE NEXT?

Tune.—Who'll be the next? 293.
Who'll be the next to follow Jesus?
Who'll be the next His Cross to
bear;
Some one is ready, some one is
waiting;
Who'll be the next a crown to
wear?

Who'll be the next to follow Jesus?
Who'll be the next to praise His
name?
Who'll swell the chorus of free
Redemption?
Sing, Hallelujah! Praise the
Lamb?

OUR TROOPS IN LONDON

(Continued from Page 5)

been engaged for many years in
Naval and Military Work, in this
and other countries; and on the
week that war broke out we had
erected our first building before
hundred Officers engaged in this
sphere. Within the next few weeks
we hope to open other Institutions,
one in the Strand (part of the Mar-
con building) and another opposite
King's Cross railway station.

Mrs. Booth was cordially greeted.
Her presence as a leader and mother
was appropriate and inspiring. It
is a great joy to me (she said) to
realize that there is another iron in
the fire, another door opened, for
Salvation Army uses; and I think it
is a special pleasure to us inasmuch
as this Home has been provided
at the request of the military
authorities.

War, Mrs. Booth pointed out, can
hurt and maim and kill the body;
"but there are sadder happenings
than death on the battlefield. There
are evils and forces against the soul
and just because we are fighting
we realize that this war is a fight for
great principles, we are glad to have
the opportunity of opening this
Hostel, which we trust will become
influence, of help and succour, for
the men who will come here.

"I know something of the anguish
of the mother who has sent her boys
—especially the younger ones—into
the Service. That anguish is not be-
cause they fear anything that should
come to the bodies of their boys, but
rather lest these other evils should
attack them and drag them down
into hell."

"We rejoice that every Salvation-
ist lad is a pledged total abstainer,
which is a very great moral strength.
Many of them have died Salvation-
ists, many others are fighting to-
day, and I am sure that you will lift
up your hearts for them that they
may be true to their pledges to The
Salvation Army as well as loyal to
their King and country." (Warm
applause.)

Major-General Sir Francis Lloyd
was not content merely to declare
the new Home open, or, as we have
indicated, to present us with yet an-
other beautiful appellation. In the
kindliest and most outspoken man-
ner, he gave his own experience and
estimation of The Salvation Army.
"My experience of The Salvation
Army is this, that wherever I want
anything, if I ask them to do it, it is
done! And The Salvation Army
have been among the pioneers of
good in London. There is a Home

in Lambeth which was started in
the very early days to help the sol-
diers—a Home unquestionably, but
a Home which has been wholly for
good.

"There is another Home close to
Liverpool Street very difficult to
get from and hard to reach—where
men are often sent to sleep, and
which is as good (I have often been
there very late at night) as any place
of the sort in London. This is a
great work, for the men coming
from the front are prone to fall into
dangers and difficulties; therefore
it is our bounden duty to make
things as safe and as certain for
them as we possibly can."

With the two great objects in
view—first of all the future of the
nation, and next to that the good of
the British soldier of all Dominions
—Sir Frances appealed for united
efforts on the part of all, adding, "I
say advisedly that I know of no or-
ganization in the whole world that has
been more unselfish than The Sal-
vation Army. I appeal to you to
carry it out to its very utmost."

Another bright leaf from her
"note-book" of experiences was con-
tributed by Adjutant Mary Booth,
and the National Anthem has sel-
dom or never been rendered with
more fervour or closed a more grati-
fying proceeding.

WE ARE

Looking For You

We will search for missing men in any part
of the globe, and will find them, and will
send them home, and will send them home,
and will send them home, and will send them home.

One dollar should be sent with every card, where
possible, to help defray expenses. In case of
difficulty, address, COLONEL C. T.
JACOBS, James and Albert Streets, Toronto, Mar-
ket Square, on envelope.

Officers, Soldiers, and Friends are requested to
assist us by making regular contributions to the
cause, and to notify Central Headquarters of any
news or number of names.

PERCY HUNTER, 1882. Information
urgently desired concerning whereabouts
of Percy Hunter, who left Woodstock,
Ontario, about two years ago. Matters of
importance demand his attention owing
to death of his mother.

RAYMOND JOSEPH BLAND, 1907.
English, about 30 years of age, height
5 ft. 7 in.; dark hair and eyes, dark
brown eyes, ruddy complexion. Believed
to be a butcher or valet.

SAMUEL TEST-
LOW, 1903. Age
25, height 5 ft. 4 in.; dark hair and eyes,
dark brown eyes, stout
build; engineer by
trade; member of
Massey Lodge; last
seen on September
10th, 1916, and
thought to have
gone to the States.
Heartbroken wife
desires information.
(See photo.)

FRANK A. HEAP, 1906. News de-
sired concerning Frank A. Heap, who left
Canada early in April, 1914.
Height 5 ft. 10 in.; dark hair and eyes,
dark brown eyes, ruddy complexion. Believed
to be a butcher or valet.

MRS. WILLIAM NEAL, 1908. Age
28, height 5 ft. 4 in.; dark brown hair,
dark brown eyes, ruddy complexion. Believed
to be a butcher or valet.

JOSEPH SEBASTIAN,
1908. Age
25, height 5 ft. 7 in.; dark hair and
eyes, dark brown eyes, stout
build; was once a
farmer, latterly did
shoe-making. Came
from Canada to
England in June,
1916. (See photo.)

ETHEL PALFARMEN, 1907. Eng-
lish, age 30, height 5 ft. 3 in.; dark hair and
eyes, dark brown eyes, stout
build; was once a
farmer, latterly did
shoe-making. Came
from Canada to
England in June,
1916. (See photo.)

FRANCIS V. MORRIS, 1906. Eng-
lish, age 30, height 5 ft. 3 in.; dark hair and
eyes, dark brown eyes, stout
build; was once a
farmer, latterly did
shoe-making. Came
from Canada to
England in June,
1916. (See photo.)

ETHEL PALFARMEN, 1907. Eng-
lish, age 30, height 5 ft. 3 in.; dark hair and
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COMING EVENTS

COMM. RICHARDS

*St. John.—December 10. (Yong
People's Day).
*St. John.—December 11. (Dis-
sensional Inspection).
Brampton.—December 16-17
Temple.—December 25. (10.30 a.m.)
Yorkville.—December 31. (11 a.m.)
Toronto 1.—December 31. (7 p.m.)
Temple.—December 31. (Watch
Night Service, 10.30 p.m.)
(*The Chief Secretary and Brigade
Morris will accompany.)

COL. & MRS. McMILLAN

Lippincott.—December 15. (Chris-
mas Entertainment).
Lisgar St.—December 21. (Chris-
mas Entertainment).
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LIEUT. COL. AND MRS. CHANDLER

Welland, Dec. 9-10; Paris, Dec. 17;
Hamilton 1, Dec. 31.

BRIG. ADEY—Parry Sound, Dec. 9-10; Brampton, Dec. 16-17; Lisgar, Dec. 21; Temple, Dec. 25; Toronto 1, Dec. 31 (night); Temple, Dec. 31 (Watch-night).

BRIG. BETTRIDGE—Napan Falls, Dec. 9-10; Welland, Dec. 11; Dunnville, Dec. 12; Simcoe, Dec. 13; Guelph, Dec. 16-17; Preston, Dec. 18; Hespeler, Dec. 19; Brampton, Dec. 23-24.

BRIG. & MRS. BELL—Yorkville, Dec. 17.

BRIG. RAWLING—St. Thomas, Dec. 6-7; London 1, Dec. 9-10; Ingersoll, Dec. 12-13; Widdowson, Dec. 14-17.

BRIG. McMILLAN—St. Thomas, Dec. 6-7; London 1, Dec. 9-10; Ingersoll, Dec. 12-13; Widdowson, Dec. 14-17.

MAJOR & MRS. McAMMOND—Riversdale, Dec. 24.

MAJOR DESBRISEY—Rhydol Avenue, Dec. 10; Parliament St., Dec. 10.

Staff-Captain Vallance—Hamilton 1, Dec. 10.

COMMISSIONER SOWTON

*Vancouver 1.—December 10.
Winnipeg Social.—December 15.
Winnipeg Detention Home.—December 17.

Winnipeg.—December 22.
Winnipeg Men's Social.—Dec. 23.
Winnipeg 1.—December 31 (Watch Night).

(*Staff-Captain Peacock will accompany.)

LIEUT. COL. TURNER
(Territorial Secretary)
Peace River.—December 3.
Camrose.—December 10.

BRIG. TAYLOR—Nepean, Dec. 9-10; Portage la Prairie, Dec. 11.

MAJOR & MRS. COMBES—Prince Albert, Dec. 9-10; Regina Jail, Dec. 24; Regina (Watch Night), Dec. 31; Regina, Jan. 1.

Staff-Captain Peacock—Kamloops, Dec. 11; Vernon, Dec. 12; Calgary, Dec. 14; Saskatoon, Dec. 15-16.

Adjutant—Larson—Vancouver, Dec. 10; Victoria, Dec. 11.